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14 FAILED TO FILE

POLICE SEEK MEN WHO NEGLECTED QUESTIONNAIRE

THE PENALTY IS SEVERE

Failing to Report, They Will Be Classed as Deserters and May Be Held for Military Service

Fourteen registrants under the selective draft have failed to file questionnaires with the board and, following instructions from the office of Provost Marshal General Crowder, their names have been given to the chief of police who will endeavor to locate them.

The men who have failed to report to the board are:

Carl Thomas Garton, Pickering.
Ben. Ernest Gossard, Burlington Jct.
Ora Mozingo, Maryville.
Geo. Colvin Wilcox, Hopkins.
Glen Fitzpatrick, Clearmont.
Isadore Tavel, Hopkins.
Mack Woods, Parnell.
Joseph Sikerion, Barnard.
Rubra Kingsbury Walker, Barnard.
Callip Jackson Moffitt, Barnard.
Franklin F. Stevens, Maryville.
Grant J. Gates, Ravenwood.
Albert Jean German, Stewartsville, Mo.

Chief of Police Shonley and his deputies are given five days in which to locate the men who have failed to file their questionnaires and bring them before the board. If they are not to be found in the city or county their names will be given to the federal authorities. The local board asks information of these men of anyone who may know of their whereabouts.

Under the rules governing these cases, men failing to file a questionnaire are certified to the adjutant general of the state as held for military service. If they do not report, they are classed as deserters, and subject to penalties prescribed for such.

DEATH COMES ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Sarah Farr, Well Known Resident of Ravenwood, Leaves Husband and Five Children

Mrs. Sarah Farr, wife of James Farr, died this morning at her home in Ravenwood, her death occurring on her sixtieth birthday. Mrs. Farr was one of the well known residents of this part of the county and had lived here practically all her life.

Besides her husband, she leaves five children, Charles, Edward, Venetta and Mona Farr, all of Ravenwood, and Mrs. Etta Demaree, of North Dakota. Her mother, eighty-six years old, lives in Oklahoma. Three brothers and two sisters also survive.

Funeral services will be held from the Christian church Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Hunt, pastor of Christian church of Savannah. Burial will be in the cemetery at Ravenwood.

DEATH OF PRESTON SEAFERS

Well Known Resident Dies Suddenly From Heart Attack—Had Not Complained of Feeling Ill

Preston Seafers, one of Maryville's best known residents died suddenly at his home last night, following a heart attack. Mrs. Seafers was awakened about midnight when she heard inarticulate sounds as if he was trying to speak. He did not awaken and death came before medical aid could be summoned. Mr. Seafers was in rugged physical health and spent yesterday at his farm east of the city helping butcher hogs, and it was seldom that he ever complained of any physical ailment.

Mr. Seafers was 72 years old, and is survived by his wife, three children, Dr. Charles F. Seafers of Port Arthur, Texas, Mrs. Fred Curfman and Mrs. Ernest Welborn of Maryville, a brother, Isaac Seafers, of Harrisonville, Mo., and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Swain of Carthage, Ill., Mrs. Bruce Hoschens, of Ravenwood, and Mrs. Frank Van Velson of the Harmony neighborhood.

Mr. Seafers was born in Chester county, Pa., and lived there until the fall of 1853, when he moved with his parents to Hancock county, Illinois, and later coming to Nodaway county, Mo., with his father. He purchased a farm in Jackson township and lived there until April, 1892, when he moved to Maryville, where he has since resided. Before retiring from active life, Mr. Seafers devoted himself exclusively to farming and stock raising, meeting with great success.

On December 28, 1870, Mr. Seafers was married to Clarissa Casteel, who was also a native of Pennsylvania, but came to Nodaway county with her parents.

Funeral arrangements will not be made until word is received from relatives living at a distance.

FUNERAL OF HENRY COLER

Old Resident Served With Distinction In Civil War Under General Rosecrans — Burial at Bethany

Frneral services for Henry Coler, who died Monday at the home of his son, Isaac Coler, 421 West Halsey street, were held yesterday afternoon at the Bethany church south of Maryville, Rev. Chapman of Rosendale officiating.

Mr. Coler was born in Ringgold, O., January 23, 1834, and came to Missouri in 1870, where he has since lived, except for a short time when he lived in Kansas. During the Civil War he served as a soldier under General Rosecrans and at the battle of Corinth received a bullet wound which at times was very painful, but was a proud remembrance of his service for his country.

Mr. Coler was ulted in marriage to Matilda Williams of Ohio. Mrs. Coler died several years ago.

Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Coler, four of whom survive their parents. They were: W. A. Coler of College Springs, Ia.; George J. Coler of Skidmore; Mrs. Lesta Remy of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and I. W. Coler of Barnard.

NEW RULES ARE HERE

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS ARE TIGHTER IN SOME RESPECTS

ANOTHER TEST FOR MANY

Beginning Next Monday Board Will Continue Examination of All Men In Class I

Following the receipt of the new rules governing physical examinations for the draft by the drfat board yesterday, examinations will be resumed Monday and will continue until the list of registrants in Class I have been completed. The board began sending out notices to the men today, calling them for examinations. Under the new rules many will have to be re-examined.

Examining physicians for the board said, aside from the change in weight standards and the removal of authority to assign men to a class for special or limited service, the new rules would not materially affect the examinations. The physicians had expected changes in the requirements as to vision and hearing. These rules were not revised.

Stricter requirements are laid down by the new regulations in regard to waivers as to weight of acceptable registrants. Men sixty inches tall hereafter are to be accepted, whereas the minimum height heretofore was sixty-one inches. The minimum weight for registrant acceptable for military service hereafter will be 114 pounds for a man sixty inches tall. In the old regulations the minimum weight was 110 pounds. Up to a height of sixty-seven inches, the new minimum weights are four pounds heavier than the former requirement.

Authority of local boards under the original regulations to assign registrants physically unfit for active military service to a class for service as pharmacists' helpers or clerks in the quartermaster corps, is revoked by the new regulations. Hereafter, the boards must decisively accept or reject all men examined. Cases wherein the registrant would be useful for clerical work will be referred to the medical advisory boards, which will have power to assign them to this special class.

The object of the new plan is to obtain greater uniformity of action. The new rules direct local boards to accept registrants with foot and ankle lesions, if they do not interfere with the wearing of an ordinary shoe and with walking and weight bearing power. Registrants with foot troubles are to be accepted if they do not interfere with the activity of the registrant. This is a shade more lenient than the former regulation, although the question of foot troubles is left largely to the judgment of the examining physician.

Hack Goodson of Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor today.

A. D. Saunders went to Sedalia today on business.

SEAT SALE FOR PLAY IS GOOD

"Making Good" at Empire Tonight Said to Compare Favorably With The "Old Homestead"

Maryville theatre goers have enjoyed several good amateur plays recently and much interest is being taken in the play at the Empire this evening by members of St. Patrick's parish. "Making Good" is a copyrighted play and on its production in the east some time ago was said by the Cincinnait Examiner to be the equal of "The Old Homestead" and "Way Down East." The local cast has been selected with kreat care and those who have attended rehearsals are sure of a splendid reception for it here.

The cast of characters include: Miss Marie Cook, Miss Azella Basford, Verne Alderman, Leo Halasey, J. A. Goeke, Miss Goldie Pope, Ernest Sherlock, Wm. O'Donnell.

Besides the play, which is in three acts, there will be some specialties between acts. The curtain is announced for 8:15 o'clock and the advance sale of seats indicates a capacity house.

PLANS AT FUNSTON

PERFECT SYSTEM AWAITS MEN IN NEW DRAFT QUOTA

UNIFORMS TO BE READY

Will Spend First Two Weeks In Detention Camp and Will Be Assigned to Organizations Later

Camp Funston, Feb. 6.—Better care for men of the new draft quota which will come to Camp Funston from Missouri and other states beginning February 23, is being planned here. The second draft is prepared for and will be received in such systematic manner that civilians will be made into soldiers—at least so far as dress and record are concerned—within a few minutes.

Colonel Bigelow, commander of the depot brigade, has everything in readiness. With a large personnel of helpers he believes he can take care of the second draft as soon as the soldiers arrive.

Instead of coming in at Camp Funsten station, the special trains will run onto a spur at the west end of the cantonment where two large barracks buildings have been connected by passageways, making a receiving station where the new recruits will be bathed, examined, clothed and complete record made—even down to finger prints.

Then a motor truck will be ready to take the new soldiers to the detention camp where they will spend treir first two weeks in the army. Later they will be assigned to organizations.

The first contingent of the second draft, 2, 332 men, will be assigned to units in the 89th Division already composed of men from their home localities, according to a staff officer, "provided the war department assigns these men to this division."

The 1,624 Missouri men will find units in the 342nd Field Artillery, 354th and 356th Infantry, representing every section of Missouri. In assignment to squads in the detention camp where the new men will spend two weeks to eliminate disease carriers, the same plan of putting men from localities together will be followed.

Ask McAdoo to Take Charge.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Feb. 6. — While minor strike riots raged here today the Chamber of Commerce took steps to have Director McAddo take over immediately the operation of the street car system as an emergency measure. Many cars were stoned and wires cut. The police charged the mob wounding two strike sympathizers seriously.

Miss Carrie Coler, a teacher of Barnard, was in Maryville today.

Notice—

All people knowing themselves indebted to me, Please Call and settle.

Dr. Charles A. Bone

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SLOW TO REGISTER

BUT ONE GERMAN ALIEN IN THE COUNTY HAS LISTED

REGISTER THIS WEEK

Men Born In United States of German Parents or Fully Naturalizes Here Need Not Register

The registration of German aliens in Nodaway county has resulted so far in the listiag of but one German, the registrant having taken out first naturalization papers several years ago, but has not secured his final certificate. Another resident of the county, who believed his father was a naturalized citizen, sought information as to registering. His case was submitted to the department at Washington for an opinion.

Must Register This Week.

All unnaturalized German males above the age of fourteen, of whom about one-half million are in the United States, will be required to register this week, with the police of cities above five thousand population and with postmasters of smaller communities or rural districts. There will be no charge except for the four copies of a photograph which the registrant must furnish. The subjects of Austria-Hungary and women are not compelled to register.

Men born in the United States of German parents or fully naturalized here need not register, but those who have taken out only their first papers will have to enroll. Former residents of Alsace-Lorraine, born there after the German seizures in 1871, are regarded as enemy aliens, even though they are of French descent and sympathies.

The Department of Justice has called attention to the fact that Germans living in a rural community, or a town smaller than five thousand, but receiving mail from a larger city postoffice are to be registered by the postmaster of that office, and not by the police of the larger city.

Special efforts are being made by the Department of Justice, by police and by postoffice officials, and others assisting in the registration, to eliminate any idea that the registration implies any special blame on the particular German. Officials are cautioned to be courteous to all applicants, and the Germans are reminded that in registering "they are giving proof of their peaceful dispositions and of their intentions to conform with the laws of the United States."

SHORTHORN CIRCLE MEETS

Harmony Breeders Enjoyed Banquet at Church Last Night—Ira Kelly Is the New President

Members of the Harmony Shorthorn Circle held their second annual meeting and banquet at Harmony church last night with a large percentage of members present. No formal program was offered during the evening, the members occupying the time with discussion of food and stock conserl vation and war problems of the farm. The affairs of the Circle were found to be in a flourishing condition, with a number of new members having been added during the year.

A splendid banquet, "Hooverized," of course, was served at the close of the meeting when new officers were elected for the ensuing year, Ira Kelly being made president and Bert McKee, secretary-treasurer.

THE BIGGEST AND BEST

Social Dance

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SAFES DAMAGED BY WATER

Salvage From Holmes Jewelry Co. Safe Will be Less Than at First Thought—Workmen in Ruins

The big safe belonging to the Holmes Jewelry company, taken from the ruins of the fire Monday, was opened this morning and the contents found to be badly damaged by water. The interior of the safe was filled with water, and watches and other jewelry was frozen in almost a solid mass. Watch rases without works were filled with water which had been frozen. The salvage will be considerably less than was at first thought.

The safe of the Kessler Hardware company was found to be badly damaged by both water and heat. The books and money were discolored from the effics of the intense heat.

The dangerous walls of the bulidings were torn down yesterday and workmen started this morning taking out sdch things as were readily removed. It will tak cthawing weather to enable them to get underneath the great mass of debris which still is covered with ice.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. James Colvin Were Married Fifty Years Ago in Scotland County, Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. James Colvin are today quietly celebrating their golden wedding anniversary at their home on West Third street.

Fifty years ago Miss Sarah E. Smith and James Colvin were married at the Smith home in Scotland county, Missouri. After eight years Mr. and Mrs. Colvin moved to Nodaway county and settled on a farm near Ravenwood, where they lived until about seven years ago, when they moved to Maryville. They are the parents of two children, Oakley Colvin of Kansas City and Mrs. Alpha Bishop, who makes her home with them. They also have one grandchild, Sterrill Bishop.

Mr. Colvin owns 200 acres of well improved land near Ravenwood and is also a stockholder in the Ravenwood bank.

On the day of their wedding, Mrs. E. M. Giles, a sister of Mrs. Colvin, was also married. Both Mr. and Mrs. Giles are living. Their home is at Ridgeway, Mo.

DIVORCE CASE IS CONTINUED

Viva M. Dicken, Plaintiff, Files An Amended Petition—Clifford White Is Given Parole

In circuit courth this morning Viva Mildred Dicken, who has brought suit for divorce from her husband, Thomas J. Brady, filed an amended petition and the case will not be heard until the April term.

Clifford White, who pleaded guilty to petty larceny at the December adjourned term and who was given a fine of $100 and one year in jail was paroled by Judge Dawson for the balance of his term on the payment of the costs in the case.

In the partition case of James R. Conway and others against Jas. B. Robinson et al for partition of certain lands lying west of Maryville, the court ordered the sale of a certain portion for the purpose of distribution.

The partition case of Allie L. Wooley against Jas. T. Hays, et al is being heard by the court this afternoon.

Marriage Licenses.

The following have been issued marriage licenses:

James T. Etherton of Braymer, Mo., and Savannah Bernies Forbes of Maryville.

Martin Comer of Ravenwood and Wada Colwell of Clyde. The last named couple were married by Probate Judge Jesse Robertson.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

TAKE SLAV LEADERS

POLES AREST BOLSHEVIKI COMMANDER AND STAFF

CIVIL STRIFE SPREADS

An Army of Nearly Half a Million Men Is in the Field Against Bolsheviki —Tartars Capture Yalta

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Copenhagen, Feb. 6. — There has been a mighty spread of civil strife within Russia within the past forty-eight hours, and indications today were that the Bolsheviki government will face the greatest peril in its existence within the next week. Polish troops are reported to have captured Mohilev, the Rusian main headquarters, and to have arrester Ensign Krylenkof, the Bolshevini commender-in-chief, with his entire staff. An army of nearly half a million armed men are in the field against the Bolsheviki in Southern Russia and hard fighting is reported from Sebastopol. Tartar troops have captured Yalta, thirty miles southwest of Sebastopol. The Bolsheviki garrison at Kiev is reported to have been defeated by Ukranians and the city is now believed to be in the hands of the Ukranians.

The Tartars are dealing mercilessly with the Red Guards, sailors and soldiers.

General Verkhovski, who held the portfolio of war minister in the Kerensky regime, has been arrested, charged with counter revolutionary activity.

HONOR LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

Fourth Grade Pupils of Washington School Gave Play Yesterday at Activity Hour In Assembly

The A Square Club of the A Fourth grade of the Washington school, gave a play, "Celebrating Lincoln's Birthday With Grandma," yesterday afternoon at the High School auditorium. The student body and a number of the children's parents were present. Little Virginia Curfman, as "Grandma," made a hit with those present, as did Elizabeth Beech, who took the part of the old maid aunt. Frances Remus, Kathryn Chandler, Emma Ryan and Virginia Curnutt were four Colonial maids.

Jack Gray, Ralph Hotchkin, Billy Symons and Joe Jackson, who were costumed as Indians, delighted the audience with Indian war whoops, songs and an Indian dance around the head of a deer which they had captured.

About thirty children took part in the play, all doing justice to the part they represented.

Following the play, those taking part were taken to Reuillard's by their teacher, Miss Lucile Holmes, for lunch.

BAKER GUARDS HIS ANSWERS

Tells Senate Committee America Had More Men In France January 1 Than Schedule Called For

Washington, Feb. 6.—America had more men in France on January 1 than the original schedule called for. This was the statement of Secretary Baker today when he again took the stand for cross examination before the senate military affairs committee. Secretary Baker is on the defensive and is extremely cautious about his answers. The hearing was marked with much feeling and a great deal of wrangling.

The senate this afternoon passed the soldiers and sailors civil rights bill.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; mild temperature for several days.

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1916-Ford—New casings all around, speedometer, gas guage, extra radiator rods, running board truss-rods, Stromberg carbaretor. This car has been kept in A-1 condition and is a bargain at $350.00

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Walter N. Wray

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BACK TO THE AX!

"Back to the ax" is to be the fortune of one hundred thousand Missouri homes, or one out of every seven families in Missouri, if the coal production shortage were to continue to grow to the end of the war.

In most of Missouri's territory the ax and wood chopping have gone out of fashion far in excess of the shortage of fire wood. Coal burning on many, many farms possessing timber has become a "habit."

The ax has so far gone out of use in the average home that there are whole communities without an axhandle maker and the stocks of complete axes in country stores are said to be insufficient to meet the new needs which are now resurrecting the ax and making it again a household necessity.

WITHHOLD YOUR CRITICISM.

The assessors of Missouri have finished their work for last year and the reports are now being filed with the tax commission, and in the vast majority of cases they have literally complied with the law. The board of equalization will meet in a few days and adjust any inequalities that may exist, and then the legislature will be called upto to revise and reduce the rates of levy for state and local purposes so that the revenue produced will be just sufficient for the needs in each instance and no more. To those who can see in this effort to standardize and equalize assessments nothing but an attempt to saddle the burden of taxes upon certain classes of property, we would advise that you withhold your criticism until after the work of the equalization board and the legislature has been completed and see if the results are not more satisfactory than the present plan, which is based upon no fixed standard and results in inequalities and favoritism of the most glaring kind.

Forum-ettes

The way February weather has started out it looks as if the groundhog theory had been punctured in several places.

Did you ever stop to think how busy the Lord would be every Monday if he granted all the requests and followed all the advice given Him every Sunday?

A Maryville woman says her husband's idea of doing as he pleases is to wear a red necktie with a yellow shirt.

It makes a big dent in a man's bump of importance to come back from a long trip away from home and find that folks didn't know he was out of town.

Our idea of a great indoor sport is to watch Doc Wallis examine prospective soldiers for adenoids.

Uncle Sam is insisting that Kansas City add viceless days. Now won't the "goats" and "rabbits" be mad?

It must have been quit a jolt to John D. to find out that he wasn't the whole thing in the oil industry.

The woman who used the telephone to call up and smear a lot of nasty gossip without giving her name is in the same class with tre anonymous letter writer—shallow brained.

The way the society reporter talks about the way the guests talk about her after the party, sometimes lack as much of being alike as the German and American way of looking at submarine warfare.

No, Willyum, you have been wrongfully informed. The organization men who have pledged themselves to whip the Huns by shooting off their mouths is in no need of, and not calling for recruits. The full quota was secured long ago.

"Elder, come out and spend a week at my house. You will be treated just like one of the family," was the invitation from one of our country parishoners today. We would accept the invitation, but experience and long years spent on circuits has made us cautious and we want to know something of the family first.

Fresh Cut Flowers—

in appropriate arrangements for any occasion at all seasons of the year.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
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HOLDING FUEL CONFERENCE

State Administrators and Garfield Go Over Plan to Abandon Heatless Monday

Washington, Feb. 6.—Heatless Monday, being observed for the third time today, may be abandoned by the fuel administration as the result of a conference of state administrators being held here.

The confenence was called by Fuel Administrator Garfield to ascertain the saving of coal effected by the five-day industrial closing order and the two heatless Mondays already observed. Fuel officials have indicated that if reports of the closing showed satisfactory results the cloisng holidays might be discontinued in favor of the railorad embargoes now in force as the most effective means of handling the coal shortage in the east and the traffic congestion as well. Final decision in the matter is expected tomorrow at a conference between Administrator Garfield and Director General McAdoo.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Coile left today for Fort Leavenworth, Kan., to visit their son, Clifford Coile.

John Boyer of Burlington Junction spent Wednesday in Maryville on business.

Tom and Leo Brady of Clyde were in Maryille on business today.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Our Line of Defense

It is a moment of tense nerves—ready to slip out of the trench at the word of command—and at the enemy. Our men on the firing line are physically fit for military service because only about one man out of five was chosen to endure the hardships of this fearful war. But we must not be content with 20 per cent. in physical health of our American youth. We cannot afford to lose four men out of five because of physical unfitness. Such weaknesses can be cured. Many times the kidneys are to blame.

If the kidneys are clogged with toxic poisons you suffer from stiffness in the knees in the morning on arising, your joints seem "rusty," you may have rheumatic pains, pain in the back, stiff neck, headaches, sometimes swollen feet, or neuralgic pains—all due to uric acid or toxic poisons stored in the blood and which should be swept out.

Then procure at your nearest drug store Anuric (double strength). The cost is 60 cents. This An-u-ric drives the uric acid out. Send Dr. V. M. Pierce of the Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. L., 10c for trial package.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—"For some time past I have been suffering with kidney trouble and rheumatism. My back bothered me a great deal in the mornings. It would ache so it was difficult for me to arise. The rheumatism seemed to be muscular as my muscles would be sore and stiff most of the time. I doctored for these ailments but without relief. Just a few weeks ago I saw Anuric advertised and knowing that Dr. Pierce's other medicines were good I got it at once. I have not finished the second bottle and my rheumatism has entirely left me and I am feeling better than I have for some time past."—OTTO BIERMAN, 424 S. Lawndale Ave.

NORMAL VS. TARKIO TONIGHT

Game Will Have An Important Bearing On the Race for the Championship of the State

The Normal basket ball team left this morning for Tarkio, where they will play the first of the two games scheduled with Tarkio college. Interest in the game is intense, not only because of the rivalry between the two schools, but because the game will be important in its bearing on the race for the championship of the state.

According to all the dope the two teams are evenly matched. Maryville defeated Missouri Wesleyan by a much larger margin than Tarkio, but Tarkio claims the edge for having held Central Wesleyan to a lower score than did Maryville. Local fans, however, who saw the Tarkio-Central game, claim that Central failed to play the high class basketball they displayed in the game with Maryville. The advantage that Tarkio will have in playing on their own court will probably make them the favorites, but the Bearcats are confident that they can overcome the handicap.

If the Normal wins tonight they will be entitled to consideration for the championship in spite of the defeat by Central Wesleyan. Central was conceded the flag after the game here but the dope was unset as usual when William Jewell took the Warrenton team to a 33-27 trimming. That defeat tangled up the situation and at present there are five teams on an almost equal footing. The game tonight will eliminate one of the contenders.

Scott, Miller, McMahon, Wells and Richards will start the game, with De-Moss, Hahn and Barron in reserve. Coaches Hanson and Palfreyman accompanied the team.

A goodly bunch of rooters also made the trip to see the game. The report of the game will be received at this office as usual.

The standing of the teams at present is as follows:

Name—	Pld.	W'n	Ls't	Pct.
Springfield	2	2	0	1000
Central Wesleyan	4	3	1	750
Maryville	3	2	1	666
Wm. Jewell	3	2	1	666
Tarkio	2	1	1	500
Drury	2	0	2	000
Mo. Wesleyan	4	0	4	000

WILL LECTURE AT PALESTINE

James T. Nichols Will Speak Thursday On "Why America Fights"

James T. Nichols of Des Moines, Ia., will lecture tomorrow night at the Palestine church, twelve miles southwest of Maryville, on "Why America Fights." Mr. Nichols, who has been twice in Europe in the last two years, will explain the work of the Red Cross and the Y. M. C. A. on the battlefield. No admission will be charged at the door, but a silver offering will be taken during the evening.

Mr. Nichols delivered this address in Skidmore last night and will talk at Graham tonight.

Conrad Reidlinger of Conception was in Maryville on business.

CROUP
Spasmodic croup is usually relieved with one application of—
Keep a Little Body-Guard in Your Home
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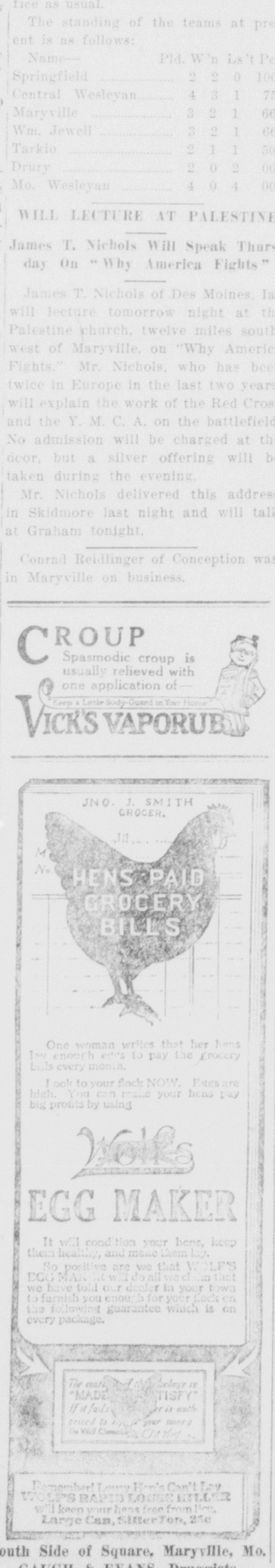
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One woman writes that her hens lay enough eggs to pay the grocery bills every month.
Look to your flock NOW. Eggs are high. You can make your hens pay big profits by using
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EGG MAKER
It will condition your hens, keep them healthy, and make them lay.
So positive are we that WOLF'S EGG MAKER will do all we claim that we have told our dealer in your town to furnish you enough for your flock on the following guarantee which is on every package.
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BARNARD MEETING A SUCCESS

Interesting Program Was Given Saturday When School Teachers and Patrons Held Meeting

The patron-teachers meeting held Saturday at Barnard was a marked success in every way, Bert Cooper, county superintendent, reports.

The High School room was crowded and the following program was rendered:

FORENOON.

Opening Song ..... America
Invocation ..... Rev. A. S. Olsen
Business Session—Supt. J. W. Pierce, Chairman; Eulah M. Pearce, Sec'y.
Address of Welcome ..... William Woodhead
Special Exercise ..... Barnard Primary Pupils
What the Teacher Owes the Community ..... Murice White
Exercise ..... Baker School
Training for the Spring Track Meet ..... Supt. J. W. Pierce
Duet ..... Henderson Sisters
Weakness of the Rural Eighth Grade Graduate ..... Supt. Dora Etchison
Discussion of Above Topics ..... A. W. Padgett
Song ..... Star Spangled Banner
Adjournment.

AFTERNOON.

Trio—The Bull Dog ..... Eldon Brittain, Lester Brittain, Lester McClanahan
Piano Solo ..... Hazel Goforth
Preparatoin of Eighth Grade Pupils for Final Examination, Gladys Yeaman
Inst. Solo ..... Mary Fowler
Teaching of Arithmetic, A. W. Padgett
Vocal Solo ..... Louise Tulloch
Why and How to Keep the School Room Clean and Tidy ..... Eula Snowberger
Agriculture This Year ..... Bert Cooper
Discussion of the Above Topics.

Twenty-six teachers were present and about 100 visitors and patrons. All reported a very helpful and beneficial meeting.

Glen Gutherie is spending a few days in St. Joseph and Troy, Kan., with friends.

William Donahue is seriously ill at his home on North Mulberry street.

SEND YOUR GRAIN TO MARKET

Food Administration Urges Farmers to Sell Now Before Road Conditions Interfere With Transportation

"Send your wheat to market before wagon or sleigh transportation is interfered with by seasonal changes."

This is the plea of the Missouri division of the United States food administration to farmers in Missouri who have considerable quantities of wheat on hand. A steady supply of wheat to the markets is imperative that it may be available for shipment abroad to meet the needs of the army and our associates in the war, F. B. Mumford, state food administrator, says.

"As shipping tonnage increases it is highly desirable that special efforts be made to urge the farmers of the state to market their wheat without undue delay," Dean Mumford explained. "The basal price of $2.20 Chicago market will be maintained for the 1917 crop, so no particular advantage can accrue by holding wheat in reserve for seeding needs.

"The car shortage situation is gradually improving and consequently freer movements to the seabord is now possible. The supply of wheat now in the hands of farmers should be moved as quickly as possible into the regular channels of trade. This should be done before wagon and sleigh transportation is interfered with."

WANTED—Teams to haul wood, good roads and wages. Wm. Everhart. 4-6

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EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS
222 N. Main Street

Blaze From Burning Flue.

A flue burning out at the home of John Gray, 108 North Buchanan at noon today brought the fire department to extinguish a small blaze caused from sparks falling on the roof. The damage was slight.

To Learn Corsetiere Work.

Miss Irene Swinford and Mrs. H. J. Parish of the Eversole dry goods store left Sunday for Chicago and Aurora, Ill., where they will spend several days in the La Camille Corset factory and school learning corsetiere work.

DR. W. W. TURNER
OSTEOPATH
Treatment of bowel, liver and nervous diseases a speciality.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
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NOTICE.

Having disposed of my business, all parties knowing themselves indebted to me will please call at the Black Diamond Stock Fowder office, where I will have my books, and settle.

J. B. Nunnelley.

GREAT SALE OF
NEW SPRING SILKS
By the Bunch Without the Boss

See Our Detailed Advertisement in this Paper TOMORROW NIGHT

Haines
The Store That Is Anxious to Please You.

By the Haines Bunch without the Boss.

Piles Cured WITHOUT THE Knife

Is My Life Study With My 18 Years' Experience

The radical and non-surgical method with which I successfully treat and GUARANTEE to CURE all forms of PILES, FISTULA and FISSURE without the KNIFE. No general anesthetic, no DETENTION from BUSINESS. Remember, that I do not treat all diseases the human body is heir to, neither do I treat incurable diseases.

Our patients will tell you they are not confined to bed; walk about, and attend to their daily duties.

Read what they say:

Attorney-at-Law at Richmond, Mo.

This is to certify that Dr. E. F. Higdon, a specialist, used his mild method for piles and other allied diseases in my case, which I was troubled with itching piles and fissures, which was cured in two weeks. After receiving my treatment I drove in a buggy twenty miles on the same day, continued my work daily thereafter. This cure was made in 1912, and I have never had any return of the trouble since. I take great pleasure in recommending him to the public who is in need of his services.

Dec. 1, 1917. Wm. TRAVERS THOMPSON.

Did not Lose a Day's Work on the Farm.

Mr. Jesse Hicks, farmer, age 55 years. Twenty years a sufferer of piles. I read your advertisement in the St. Joseph Gazette. Piles cured without the knife or general anesthetic, and that the guarantee was no cure no pay. I concluded samething had to be done, as I had the protruding and bleeding piles, that were gradually getting worse, which seemed to exhaust my whole energy. At times was getting very nervous, had aching pains in my back and legs, and did not sleep well at night. Today I am sound and well and have had no trouble since taking the treatment.

I take great pleasure in recommending your Institute methods of treatment, and was permitted to go to my home from Oregon, Mo., to St. Joseph, and did not lose a day's work on the farm nor confined to the bed or room during the entire treatment of three weeks.

Dec. 23, 1917. JESSE HICKS, Oregon, Mo., R. F. D.

Ask for examination—always free.

Remember, all cures taken on a positive GUARANTEE — NO CURE, NO PAY.

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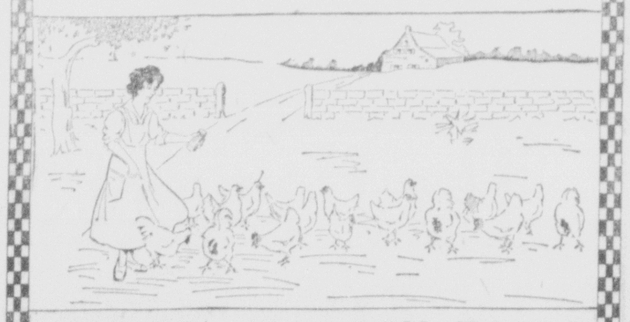

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Our offices together with our splendid Library having been destroyed by the fire, we are now located in the offices formerly occupied by Dr. Bell, over the Maryville Drug Co. Corner of Fourth and Main Streets, directly east of Farmers Trust Co., where we will be glad to meet our friends, and we assure the same careful attention to any business entrusted to our care that has heretofore characterized us.

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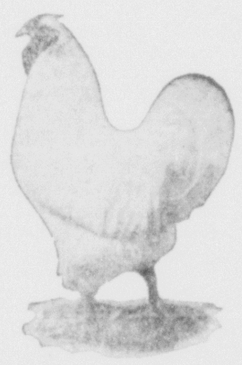
Black Langshans
(FULL BLOOD)

The big kind, the kind that grows larger, lays more and larger eggs than any other kind in the world. The kind that rustles for themselves.



A Few Cockerels for Sale at $2.00 each

Eggs for Setting, in Season at $2.00 for 15, penned. Range $1.00 for 15.

Phone 34, or Write

Mrs. T. A. Brashear
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CLOSING OUT SALE

On account of ill health I will sell at public auction at the Tom K. Coulter place 8¾ miles southeast of Maryville, 2¼ miles northeast of Arkoe, 3¼ miles southwest of Bedison, on

Wednesday, February 13, 1918

at 10 a. m., the following described property:

14 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Bay mare coming 4 years old, weight 1500, in foal to Carr & Corrough horse, broke and sound; black mare, coming 10 years old, weight 1450, in foal to same horse, sound; bay gelding, coming 3 years old, weight 1300; 10 year old bay mare; 6 year old bay horse; pair mules, coming 7 and 8 years old; Shetland pony; 6 year old bay mare; pair bay mares, 8 and 9 years old, weight 2300, good work team; 7 year old bay horse, weight 1200; pair draft colts, coming 2 years old.

10 HEAD OF CATTLE—6 head of cows, 5 year old cow, fresh in March; 3 coming yearling steer calves, good ones. **Five good Duroc Jersey Gilts**, bred for latter March and first of April farrow, eligible to pedigree.

GRAIN—4 tons baled oat straw, 500 bushels good corn, some shock corn and stalk field, if not sold before date of sale.

IMPLEMENTS—3 wagons, including—1 good Weber wagon, 1 low wheel wagon and box, good as new; 2 buggies, mowing machine, John Deere corn planter, good as new; 2 discs, Deering 8-foot grain binder, been run 2 years; 3 cultivators, including 2 Busy Bee 6-shovel riding cultivators and 1 New Century riding cultivaotr; P. & O. riding lister, disc cultivator, new 3-section harrow, sulky plow, John Deere combined lister and drill,3 sets of harness, corn sheller, fan mill, 150 lbs Norman stock food and self-feeder; 100 feet 1x8x16 ft. tongue and grooved new siding, 6 bushels potatoes ,good DeLaval cream separator, 2 heating stoves, good dining room table, couch, 5 dozen Brown Leghorn hens, 1917 model Overland car will be offered for sale, good as new.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time with a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch by Arkoe Union Sunday School.

Col. Chas. Evans, Auct.
S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

George Q. Meek

Society and Clubland

BY MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanamo 42. Farmers 114

Tuesday Bridge.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas entertained the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club yesterday at her home. The prize went to Miss Della Grems. Two guests, Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, and her sister, Mrs. Boyd, of Wichita, Kan., who is visiting her, were present.

Will Meet Tomorrow Night.

The Alert Rebekah lodge will meet tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall. All members are requested to be present, as it will be decided whether there will be lodge again this winter. Other special business will be attended to.

Guild Meeting.

The Westminster Guild met last night at the home of Mrs. Joe Jackson Jr., with a good number present. The study program was given by Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. W. W. Turner, Miss Mabel Wells and Miss Nora Ritze. Mrs. Eugenia H. Schenck and daughter, Miss Kate, assisted in entertaining. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Surprised.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dawson of near Skidmore were surprised last Sunday at their home, when friends and neighbors came to spend the day with them, before they move from the neighborhood. A basket dinner was spread at the noon hour for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagby, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Winger, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Twaddell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Twaddell, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weaver, Mrs. Dora Linville, Misses Hattie and Rinda Linville, Lucy and Trea Twaddell, Mary Hughes, Dorothy, Opal and Lois Winger, Frank Lawson, Harvey Linville, Wayne Winger, Lee Donald Keever, Homer and Dillard Lorance, Donald Twaddell, Louie Dawson and the honor guests.

Farnan-McQuinn.

At 8 o'clock yesterday morning at the St. Benedicts church at Clyde occurred the wedding of Miss Mary Farnan, daughter of C. C. Farnan, and Austin McQuinn, son of Mrs. Ruth McQuinn, both of Clyde. Rev. Father Frowin officiated. The bride was very pretty in her gown of white silk, with trimmings of georgette crepe and silver lace. She carried an arm bouquet of bride's roses, and wore a tulle veil held in place by tiny white rosebuds. Miss Katherine Farnan, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid. She was gowned in sand color crepe de chine, and carried a bouquet of sweetpeas and ferns. The house decorations were of blue and white. At the noon hour an elaborate dinner was served to sixty-five guests. Mr. and Mrs. McQuinn left on the afternoon train for a visit to Kansas City and other points. They will be at home to their friends after March 1, on a farm near Clyde.

Night School

Is helping many better their condition and will do as much for you.

All Commercial, English and common school branches taught by personal instruction. Call or phone 349.

The Business University

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Wednesday, FEBRUARY 6th

A Four Act Comedy-Drama

"Making Good"

By Maryville's Best Local Talent

Under Auspices of
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Vaudeville Between Acts

PRICES 50 cents
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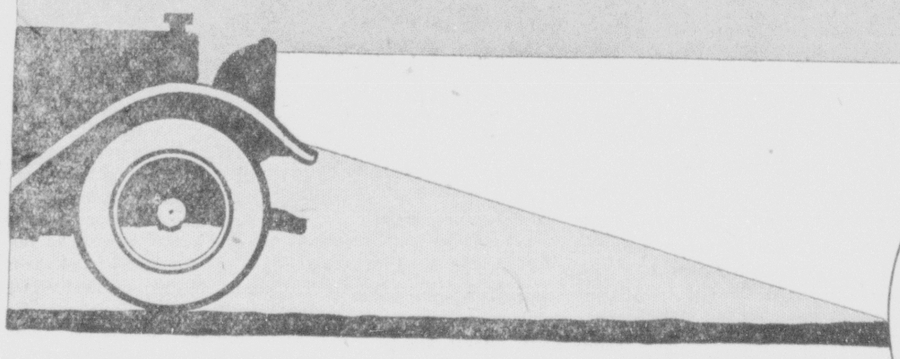

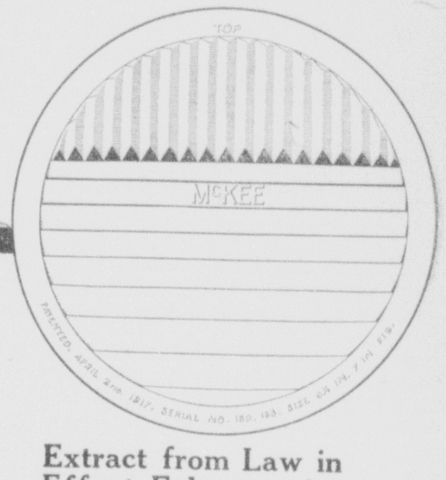

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It saves the light that is wasted by the ordinary window glass lens and adds it to the intense beam of light which is concentrated and projected through the horizontal prisms down close to the road bed for 600 feet ahead. And not a ray of this bright white road beam can go above 42 inches from the ground to blind approaching drivers.

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You must have a strong light on the side of the road for passing cars and turning corners in safety. This you get from the McKee *Standard* Lens by reason of its exclusive concave-convex shape.

If your dealer cannot supply you, send price, size of lens, model of car direct to us.

McKEE GLASS COMPANY, JEANNETTE, PA.

At All Dealers

Extract from Law in Effect February 1st

Every motor vehicle.... during the period from a half hour after sunset to a half hour before sunrise .... shall carry, at the front, at least two lighted lamps not exceeding thirty-six candle power each (except that motorcycles shall carry one lighted lamp), showing white lights, visible, under normal atmospheric conditions, at least five hundred feet in the direction toward which said motor vehicle is facing, which lamp shall produce sufficient light to reveal objects one hundred and fifty feet ahead, and shall be adjusted and directed so that, on level ground, the main shaft of clear, condensed light, shall be projected straight forward, and no portion of it shall be above the level of the lamp nor more than forty-two inches above the ground. Such adjustment and direction shall be permanently maintained.

PRICES
5 " to 8½" inclusive, per pair . $2.50
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SECOND STRIKE IN 17 YEARS

In the St. Louis Street Car Riots of 1900 Fourteen Persons Were Killed and Two Hundred Injured

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—The strike here of approximately 2,500 street car motormen and conductors, who demand more pay, less hours and recognition of the newly organized union, is the second here in seventeen years.

The St. Louis street car strike of 1900 was marked by the slaying of fourteen persons, serious injury to more than 200, who had to be sent to hospitals, the loss of millions of dollars in property and business and the loss of the strike by the street car employes.

The present strike as yet has not resulted in any deaths nor serious property damage, save for a few broken street car windows and slight injury to a score or more persons, but millions of dillars loss to all retail stores is predicted by business men as a result of the present strike. It is estimated business already has fallen off 50 per cent in down town stores due to the inability of people to get down town for shopping.

The strike of 1900 started on the morning of May 8 and the city was the scene of riots ad disturbances until July 15. Spectators were beaten and shot down, helpless women were disrobed on the streets, children were wounded by stray bullets, men who attempted to operate the cars were shot to death and property was ruthlessly destroyed.

Police here express confidence to cope with the present situation and say that there will be no repetition of the srenes of 1900. In the event it gets beyond control of the police, Governor Gardner will be appealed to to order out the Home Guard.

GASOLINE YIELD TRIPLED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Detroit, Feb. 6.—The yield of gasoline from crude oil has been tripled by a method just perfected by Dr. A. H. Ramage. The invention makes impossible any gasoline shortage, no matter how great the demands of the war may be.

In the Ramage process the oil is chemically charged as it passes through stills and apparatus, which convert the crude oil into increased quantities of gasoline.

Dr. Ramage is a member of the American Electro-Chemical Society.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

SCIENTISTS GAIN CONVERTS

Belief Is Said to be Popular Among the Men Who Are Now In the Trenches Over-Seas

(By Ernest P. Orr)

Paris, Feb. 6. — Psychologists are watching with great interest the spread of Christian Science in the trenches and among French soldiers. Within a period of two years, since the beginning of the war, the Scientists have gained over 100,000 converts to their faith, mainly among the soldiers. The attendance at their two Paris churches has gradually increased until it is triple that of pre-war times, and over 300,000 brochures, tracts and pamphlets, translated into French, with the English text on the opposite page, have been distributed within the army zones.

At the headquarters in Paris of the organization, Miss Mary L. Struve of Seattle, who is in charge of the reading room, stated that hundreds of letters were received weekly from French soldiers at the front requesting further information and leaflets concerning the new religion, while the reading room itself was daily visited by a number of soldiers on permission. Miss Struve also said that at the Wednesday night meetings, at which "testimonials" from the congregation were the rule, it was no unusual sight to find half of the congregation composed of the blue-coated "poilus," some of whom told the most remarkable stories about narrow escapes from death at the hands of the enemy, which they attributed to their state of mind amid danger.

The "Echo de Gourbis," one of the liveliest of the journals published in the trenches, comments on the fact that if America has sent men, materials and munitions to France, she has also contributed missionaries to expound Christian Science to those who are interested in it. The journal, after remarking that the style of some of the brochures is reminiscent of passages from Dickens, explains the interest taken by the ordinary "poilus" i sdue to the fact there is so much sickness and suffering caused by the war, the mind is especially receptive to a religion of dogma that offers curative powers by suggestion.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

WANTED—Teams to haul wood, good roads and wages. Wm. Everhart. 4-6

ARMY OFFICER CLASHES WITH GERMAN WIFE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Philadelphia, Feb. 6.—The clashing of their nationalities has resulted in the filing of a divorce action against Captain John W. Converse by his wife, Mrs. Converse was born and bred in Germany. They met in Paris in 1909 and were married in Wiesbaden, Germany, a few months later.

Last summer Converse entered the officers' school at Fort Niagara, N. Y. After his training he was made a captain in the 311th Field Artillery. A separation has appeared inevitable ever since it was certain he would soon command guns in action against his wife's countrymen.

Secretary Claypool to St. Joseph.

E. M. Claypool, secretary of the Commercial Club will go to St. Joseph this evening, where he will attend the Ocean to Ocean Highway Convention in session there this evening and Thursday. Mrs. Claypool will accompany him for a short visit with relatives.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.

For Quick Sale—

I have some very cheap city property and vacant lots. Well located, good terms, if taken soon. Also some five and ten acre properties close in which are bargains.

And some farms from 30 to 240 acres that can be had if taken by Feb. 10. Come and see me quick.

G. B. HOLMES, The Land Man.

Away With Your Sprays and Inhalers If You Want to be Rid of Catarrh

Deep-Seated Disease That Cannot Be Reached by Local Treatment.

When you hawk and spit until you almost strangle in an effort to get your breath, because your air-passages are all choked up with Catarrh, and your condition grows worse from day to day, you are about ready to realize that Catarrh is by no means a simple ailment.

If you have had the disease for any length of time, you have doubtless used enough treatment to convince you that you will not be able to find any lasting relief from the remedies that are so generally relied upon. Others who have been afflicted with Catarrh have used atomizers and sprays, ointments, salves, jellies and other local applications by the wholesale, without making the slightest progress toward a cure.

You are doomed to the same disappointment, if you rely upon the same misdirected methods of treating this disease, for Catarrh is too stubborn and deep-seated to be reached by medicated applications which are applied only to the surface.

Why not save yourself the expense and the delay of getting on the right road, by discarding entirely all these plans of treatment which others have found to be absolutely without merit? Not only is Catarrh a source of suffering to yourself, and annoying and repulsive to those about you, but it is a disease that is not to be considered lightly, for if it is not checked the lungs sometimes become affected, and everyone knows how serious that is.

Catarrh is caused by millions of tiny disease germs that infest the blood. When they attack the delicate membranes and air passages of the nose and throat, you can never get rid of them by sprays and atomizers. They must be thoroughly routed from the blood. That is why S. S. S. is used so successfully in treating Catarrh. This remedy is so thorough in cleansing the blood that it routs out every germ of Catarrh or other disease.

S. S. S. goes right down to the source of the disease, and if you will begin its use today, you will find yourself at last on the right treatment. Go to your drug store and get a bottle today, and if you want any special advice regarding your case, you can obtain same without charge by writing to Medical Director, Swift Specific Co., 81 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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THAT BRING RESULTS

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

FOR SALE—Few bushels of Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn. Call Farmers 46-12. 4-6*

FOR SALE—Baled oat straw, good quality. C. W. Hilsenbeck, 7 miles south of city. 4-6*

FOR SALE—Two hole Topsy heater. Reasonable if taken at once. Call Far. 190. 4-6*

FOR SALE—Good barn hay, will sell cheap if taken at once. Call Farmers 16-19. 4-6*

FOR SALE—10 young red cows with calves, one to three months old. Also 5 heavy springers; good young stuff. Will sell either bunch. Elmer Fraser. 5-11

FOR SALE—3 good work horses, also 10-month-old mule. See H. H. Gard, 7 miles east of Maryville. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Detroit Vapor oil stove and other household goods. Call 820 North Walnut. 5-7*

FOR SALE—10 tons alfalfa hay, first, second or third cutting, all in the barn. A. L. Oakerson, phone Skidmore 2816. 5-7

FOR SALE—Good work mare in foal to good jack, also 4 weanling mules. Walter Dickie, Far. 50-19. 4-9*

FOR SALE—Span good work mules. Mrs. Katie Lowe, ½ mile north Wesley Chapel. 5-7*

FOR SALE—10 tons timothy hay, 3 extra good milch cows, 2 calves, 8 head of brood sows and gilts, male hog, all pure bred; 4 fall pigs, Duroc-Jersey; go-devil, some stove wood and household goods. C. A. Hatfield, 6¼ miles southwest of Maryville and ¼ mile north of White Cloud Baptist church.

MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing. estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

IF YOU NEED seed corn, see M. C. Thompson, 307 N. Market St., east side of square. Hanamo 108, Farmers 41-15. 6tf

LOST — Cameo pendant set with pearls and pearl drop. Return to the Democrat-Forum office. Reward. 4-6*

LOST—31 x 4 tire chain between the court house and T. M. Trullinger's. Leave at Democrat-Forum office. 4-6

LOST — Pair nose glasses, gold frame. Return to Commercial Club. Reward. 4-6

LIMITED AMOUNT improved Reid's Yellow Dent field selected, rock dried seed corn, extra quality. Guaranteed germination, test 96%, sold in ear Phone or write G. R. Lager, Clyde, Mo. 29-7*

WANTED

WANTED — Two girls at once Maryville Laundry. Hanamo 700. 14-tf

WANTED — Experienced married man wants job on farm. Call J. J. Hall's Implement store. 6-8*

WANTED — Experienced, capable farm hand. Long job and top wages for satisfactory man. Telephone 24-11 Clearmont, Mo. 2-6*

WANTED — The Democrat-Forum wants live correspondents at Barnard Burlington Junction, Skidmore, Guilford, Clearmont and Clyde. Write for information. The Democrat-Forum. tf

WANTED — Old corn, 1916 crop: send sample, stating amount you have and price wanted. $12.95 buys our Standard Goodwear Casing NON-Skid 30 x 3½ Guaranteed first quality 3500 mileage. All other sizes in proportion. We deliver them to your door. State Auto Supply Co., Cedar Rapids, Iowa. 4-6*

WANTED — To rent, about 6 room house close in, water and lights. Inquire at Democrat-Forum.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, newly papered, modern. Mrs. Mary F. Davis, South Methodist flats. 4-6*

FOR RENT — Modern ten-room house; ideal location. McJimsey residence, South Main. Rent reasonable. Inquire J. K. Sawyers, North Main. Both phones. 4-9

FOR RENT—Warm, clean room furnished for light housekeeping; references required. 216 E. 3rd. Hanamo 3041. 2tf

FOR RENT—One back room over South Side Bakery. Inquire of Kate Schenck, Hanamo 68'. 31tf

Puts Up 2,000 Tons of Ice.

Over two thousand tons of natural ice has been put up by the city from the reservoir at the pumping tattion, the largest supply of natural ice ever harvested from the property. Sawdust is being hauled from Pickering and the ice is being packed for safe storage until summer.

Indiana Reformatory Burns.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Feb. 6. — Fire practically wiped out the Indiana State Reformatory here today with a loss exceeding $700,000. 1,200 prisoners were removed to a place of safety. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Mrs. Laura Beal and daughters, Bertha and Allie, are at the Bainum hotel for a few days.

19TH YEAR HERE

RELIABILITY

Dr. Prettyman

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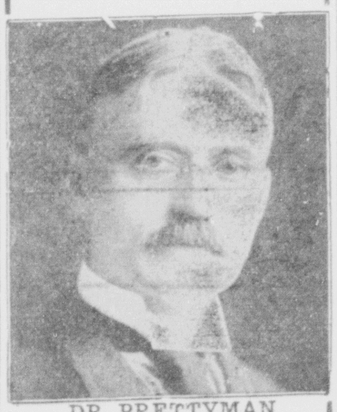

DR. PRETTYMAN

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MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future

Kansas City, Feb. 6.—CORN—May, 1.26.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Feb. 6.—CATTLE—Receipts 13,000; steers, $10.00 @ $13.25; cows, $6.00@$13.00.

HOGS—Receipts 21,000; top, $16.90; bulk, $16.35@$16.80.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, Feb. 6. — CATTLE — Receipts 10,000; market, higher.

HOGS—Receipts 24,000; market 10 higher; top, $17.25.

St Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, Feb. 6. — CATTLE—Receipts 3,500; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts 12,000; market 5@10 higher; top, $16.85.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs, per lb	18c
Hens, per lb.	21c
Ducks, per lb	14c
Geese, per lb	14c
Old Roosters, per lb	10c
Hides, per lb.	10
Eggs, per doz.	45
Cream, per lb.	50c

PROF. HOLDEN'S WAR BISCUITS

Agriculture Expert Is Also Expert at Making "War" Breads—Here's a Recipe

Prof. P. G. Holden, who is conducting teacher classes in vitalized agriculture at the Normal this week is an expert war bread maker. The following is his recipe for "war" or "potato biscuit," which he demonstrated during Farmers' Week at Columbia recently:

Two cups flour, 1 cup potato, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1 scant teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon butter of lard, 1 teaspoon sugar, sweet milk to make a dough which can be rolled for biscuit.

Sift flour, baking powder, salt and sugar together. Work butter or lard into flour, add potatoes, which should be boiled or baked and put through ricer; then add milk to make a dough which can be easily handled on board. Roll out about one-half inch thick, cut with biscuit cutter and bake 15 minutes in a quick oven.

Rivermen Fear a Thaw.

Memphis, Feb. 6. — Rivermen here and at points along the Mississippi express grave concern today over the reports of warmer weather and an impending thaw in the upper Mississippi Valley.

"Church of Gold."

There is no structure just like St. Mark's, in Venice, in the world, notes the Kansas City Journal. Its bulb-shaped domes and minaretlike belfries remind the visitor of the Orient. It seems more like a Mohammedan than a Christian temple. In the facade are scores of variously colored marble columns, each one a monolith and all possessing an eventful history. Some are from Ephesus, others from Symrna, others from Constantinople and more than one even from Jerusalem. St. Mark's is the treasure house of Venice, a place of pride as well as prayer. The work of beautifying this old church was carried on for five centuries, and each generation tried to outdo all that had preceded it. The walls and roof are so profusely covered with mosaics and precious marbles that it is easy to understand why St. Mark's has been called the "Church of Gold."

Rats Enemies of Birds.

The number of useful insect-eating birds nesting on the ground or in low bushes which fall victims to rats is extremely large and is one of the many kinds of injury done by these pernicious animals which cannot be computed, writes E. W. Nelson in the National Geographic Magazine. Probably few frequenters of the countryside have returned to look into a bird's nest to observe its condition without many times finding it destroyed and fragments of egg shells lying about. Unquestionably a large percentage of such nests located in the neighborhood of buildings have been raided by rats.

On one of the small Danish islands it has been authentically recorded that the progeny of a single pair of rats, which escaped from captivity, in two years' time exterminated a great colony of birds for which the island had been noted.

Khaki Colors Differ.

Considerable comment is being aroused in official circles and elsewhere over the disparity of the khaki uniforms worn by officers and privates. Some of them are so faded that they look almost white, while others retain original coloring. A few cases have been noted, states the Pathfinder, where the coat and breeches of uniforms have developed different hues. One excuse offered is that the khaki cloth is acquired from many manufacturers and the grades of it differ widely sometimes. Thousands of young men entering the officers' training camps purchase their own uniforms, and this provides an opportunity for a difference in the quality of the goods.

REMINDER TO POSTMASTERS

Third Assistant Postmaster General Calls Attention to Dereliction In Sales

The postoffice here has received a communication from Governor A. M. Dockery, third assistant postmaster general, to the effect that some postmasters have been somewhat derelict in pushing the sale of war savings certificate stamps and thrift stamps. The letter is as follows:

"Washington, D. C. Jan. 31.

"Postmaster, Maryville, Mo.

"It is indicated by the reports reaching the department that some district postmasters in Missouri are not taking the active interest in the sale of war savings stamps and thrift stamps desired by the postmaster general and myself.

"Central accounting postmasters, therefore, are directed to report to the third assistant postmaster general, division of stamps, the district money order postoffices reporting no sales at the close of each month as shown by the monthly returns to the central accounting postmasters. They re also directed to report the names of all district money order postoffices where the sales are so small as to indicate that the war savings and thrift stamp campaign has not been pressed with vigor.

"A. M. DOCKERY,
Third Asst. Postmaster Gen."

Are Advertised Medicines Worthless?

There is no more reason to condemn all advertised medicines than there is to condemn all physicians or all druggists. Fakes there are in every profession and in every trade, but they do not last long. Take a medicine like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the true test of its merit is the fact that for forty years it has been relieving women of America from the worst forms of female ailments, constantly growing in popularity and favor, until it is now recognized from ocean to ocean as the standard remedy for female ills.

News at Clearmont.

Dr. H. S. Dowell, who was called to Chillicothe Sunday on account of the illness of his father, returned home Monday and reports his father no better, having suffered from a slight stroke of paralysis.

Dr. H. S. Dowell reports the arrival of twin girls at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cooper Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Pruitt are the proud parents of a girl, born January 3.

Carl Griffey was down from Clarinda and visited over Sunday with home folks.

Albert Walters made a business trip to Maryville Monday and while there learned he would make a first class soldier.

Jas. Milbank shipped a car of hogs to St. Joseph last week.

Guy Clary shipped a car of wood to St. Joseph Thursday.

Howard Garrett purchased a herd of seventeen Scotch Shorthorn cattle from Barber & Son at Skidmore, Mo., last week.

Wm. Guyett and French Brown each shipped a car of hogs to St. Joseph Friday.

W. L. Peery made a trip to Clarinda Tuesday.

Word was received here last Thursday of the death of W. R. Smith. "Uncle Bill," as he was familiarly called, was the father of J. W. Smith of this place. He had been a member of the I. O. O. F. for more than 40 years and for the last three months had been at the Odd Fellows' Home at Liberty, Mo., at which place his death occurred. Funeral services were held at Quitman, where he was buried.

The Mt. Pleasant ladies are certainly doing "their bit" in the war. The following is a report of their work for the month of January: 120 4x4 gauze compresses, 6 16x24 paper backed pads, 30 8x12 absorbent cotton pads, 120 large gauze wipes; 43 triangulars, 45 heel rings, 130 shot bags, 10 T bandages, 24 surgeon's or operating socks, 6 helmets, 36 bed shirts, 2 pairs wristlets. Miss Ora LeGrande is chairman.

F. B. Strickler of Craig was in town Tuesday buying horses.

Fuel Situation Desperate Yet.

Washington, Feb. 6.—That the fuel situation throughout the United States is desperate today, officials, who up to the present have been extremely optimistic, admitted this fact and pointed out that the only possible relief must come through milder weather.

WANTED—Teams to haul wood, good roads and wages. Wm. Everhart. 4-6

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Public Sale

I will dispose of the following surplus stock and grain at public sale at my home farm adjoining Barnard, Mo.,on

Monday, February 11

Commencing at 1 o'clock sharp.

26 Head of Young Horses and Mules—Just ready for the harness.. 17 head of 2 year old coming 3 this sprin ; 9 head of 3 year old coming 4 this spring. I have raised all of these colt and a number will be sold in pairs, as they match well. I will not try t describe each animal, but will ask you to come sale day and look them over. These colts have not been in the barn a single night this winter and all have their every day clothes on. They are sure the right kind for the farmer t buy to make a crop and mature into usefulness.

Corn, Oats, Etc.—1000 bushels of Yellow Dent corn. This is early corn, solid and well matured. I think it wil grade No. 2 or better. 100 bushels of seed oats. We raised 2500 bushels of these oats on 40 acres by weight and they will make good seed.

Some Choice seed corn.

50 Head of Fat Hogs if not sold before day of sale.

I will also offer 750 bushels of oat in bin at my lower farm, 7 miles northeast of Savannah, on same terms as bal nce of sale.

Terms—All sums of $10 and under, cash. On sums over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

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Public Sale

Having decided to go to Washington, I will sell at the Pat Feeley place, 1 mile north, ¼ mile east of the square, north city limits of Maryville, Mo., on

Saturday, February 9th

Sale to be called promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property:

7 Head of Horses and Colts—1 gray mare 8 years old, weight 1400, an extra good worker; 1 black horse, 10 years old, weight 1200, broke single and double; 1 black mare, 7 years old, weight 1050, broke in all harness and to ride; 1 black filly coming 3 years old; 1 sorrel filly, 2 years old; 1 bay horse colt coming 2 years old; 1 bay horse colt, 1 year old.

10 Head of Cattle—3 extra good milch cows, 2 giving milk now, 1 to be fresh March 1; 4 yearling heifers to b fresh in spring; 1 Shorthorn bull, coming 2 years old; 1 6-months-old Jersey heifer calf; 1 black bull calf.

7 Head Stock Hogs; some Black Minorcia chickens.

Implements—1 disc; 1 riding cultivator; 1 2-section harrow; 1 lister; 1 16-inch walking plow; 1 corn planter; 1 McCormick mowing machine; 1 corn sheller; 1 Rock Island Special wagon; 1 single buggy; 1 road wagon; 1 Sharples cream separator; 1 DeLaval cream separator; 1 10-gallon barrel churn, new; 2 sets work harness; 1 set single buggy harness; 1 150-egg incubator; 1 60-egg incubator; about 4 bushels White Cap seed corn; probably some baled hay and oat straw; household goods and some canned fruit, and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
J. D. Richey, Clerk.

Bert. S. Sharp

Closing Out Sale

Having sold our farms, we will se at Paul Saxton's farm, 8 miles south of Maryville, 2 miles west and 2 south of Arkoe and ½ mile west of Denning corner, on

Friday, February 8th

beginning at 10 a. m. the following pr perty:

11 Head of Horses—2 Percheron geldi gs, coming 6 years old, black and bay, good as grows; 3 black Percheron colt coming 1, 2 and 3 years old; black mare coming 12 years old; blind bay mare, smooth mouth; 1 span geldings, 6 and 10 years old, wt. 300 lbs; 1 mare 5 years old; 1 mare 10 years old.

18 Head of Cattle—15 Polled Angu cows and heifers, heavy springers, a fine bunch; 1 male Shorthorn coming yearling, a good one; 1 full blood Jersey cow, 1 half blood Jersey cow, good ones; Jersey cow, 4 years old, fresh.

Sheep—30 head Western ewes, br d for April lambs. A nice, even bunch.

85 Head of Hogs—11 tried sows; 1 gilts ,bred for March and April farrow. Part of these are full blood Pola d-Chinas, part Duroc-Jersey; 20 late fall pigs; 35 late summer shoats ,will weigh from 90 to 125 pounds.

Hay and Grain—200 or 300 bushe good yellow corn; some good Dent seed corn; about 300 bu. good clean oat ; 4 or 5 tons bright oat straw in stack; 6 or 7 tons clover hay in stack; some t mothy hay in barn.

Implements—Farm wagon; low wh eled wagon, new; McCormick mower and rake; New Century cultivator; 2 w lking cultivators (1 spring trip); disc cultivator; 16 inch sulky plow; 2 14-i ch walking plows; lister; 2 corn planters, 1 with furrow openers; 1-horse dis wheat drill; 1 Campbell corn drill; 2 disc harrows (1 Rock Island 14-16 wit trucks); 2-section harrow; harrow cart; bob sled; broadcast endgate seed r; DeLaval cream separator; corn sheller; work bench; single shovel an 5-shovel plow; grindstone; 4-foot steel tank; 2-seated buggy; 2 single to buggies, nearly new; 2 sets 1½-inch harness; set single harness; hay fork and rope. A lot of this stuff nearly new. All of it in good condition for use. Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

200 good, heavy split burr oak posts.

Terms—$10 and under, cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time, bankable note, 8 per cent interest from date; no property removed until terms are complied with. Lunch by ladies of the United Workers and White Cloud Auxiliary, for Red Cross. Come whether you buy or not. In helping the ladies you help the soldier boys. If you have none, your neighbor has.

PAUL SAXTON, I. W. COLER

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